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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

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Applicants respectfully petition for **one-month extension of time** to respond to the Advisory Action dated November 13, 2008, which set a three-month response period from the mailing date of the final rejection, *i.e.*, August 11, 2008. The response period for the final rejection expired on November 11, 2008. The extended period for response expires on December 11, 2008. The **\$130.00** extension of time fee **is being paid by credit card**.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any additional fees or to credit any overpayment, to the Deposit Account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Respectfully submitted,

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